

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1-23 (Cancelled)

- 5 ~~1~~ ~~24~~. (Currently Amended) A method of forming a three dimensional camouflage textile, comprising the steps of:
- forming a base textile with yarns having a thermoplastic material therein;
- applying a camouflage pattern to the base textile;
- forming flat regions and wrinkled regions in the base textile, the flat regions being
- 10 formed by the application of a hot fluid stream to the yarns having a
- thermoplastic material and the wrinkled regions being formed by the
- shrinking of the yarns having a thermoplastic material due to the
- application of the hot fluid stream.
- 2 ~~25~~. (Original) The method according to Claim ~~24~~¹, wherein said step of forming the base textile comprises weaving the base textile.
- 15 ~~3~~ ~~26~~. (Original) The method according to Claim ~~25~~², wherein the step of weaving the base textile includes weaving the base textile in a plain weave pattern.
- 4 ~~27~~. (Original) The method according to Claim ~~26~~², wherein the step of weaving the base textile includes weaving the base textile in a satin weave pattern.
- 5 ~~28~~. (Original) The method according to Claim ~~27~~¹, wherein said step of forming the base textile comprises knitting the base textile.
- 20 ~~6~~ ~~29~~. (Original) The method according to Claim ~~28~~¹, wherein said step of forming the base textile comprises forming the base textile as a nonwoven material.
30. (Cancelled)
- 7 ~~31~~. (Original) The method according to Claim ~~30~~¹, wherein said step of forming the flat and wrinkled regions includes orienting hot fluid streams in a row adjacent to the base textile, and creating a relative movement between the base textile and the row of hot fluid streams.
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- 8 ~~32~~. (Original) The method according to Claim ~~24~~¹, further including the said disposing a finishing lubricant on the base textile prior to forming the flat and wrinkled regions.
- 5 9 ~~33~~. (Currently Amended) A method of forming a three dimensional camouflage textile, comprising the steps of:
forming a base textile with yarns having a thermoplastic material and a camouflage pattern therein; and
forming flat regions and wrinkled regions in the base textile, the flat regions being formed by the application of a hot fluid stream to the yarns having a thermoplastic material and the wrinkled regions being formed by the shrinking of the yarns having a thermoplastic material due to the application of the hot fluid stream.
- 10 10 ~~34~~. (Original) The method according to Claim ~~33~~⁹, wherein said step of forming the base textile comprises weaving the base textile.
- 11 11 ~~35~~. (Currently Amended) The method according to Claim ~~34~~¹⁰, wherein the step of weaving the base textile includes weaving the base textile in a plain ~~plan~~ weave pattern.
- 12 12 ~~36~~. (Original) The method according to Claim ~~34~~¹⁰, wherein the step of weaving the base textile includes weaving the base textile in a satin weave pattern.
- 13 13 ~~37~~. (Original) The method according to Claim ~~33~~⁹, wherein said step of forming the base textile comprises knitting the base textile.
- 20 14 ~~38~~. (Original) The method according to Claim ~~33~~⁹, wherein said step of forming the base textile comprises forming the base textile as a nonwoven material.
- 15 15 ~~39~~. (Cancelled)
- 25 16 ~~40~~. (Original) The method according to Claim ~~38~~⁹, wherein said step of forming the flat and wrinkled regions includes orienting hot fluid streams in a row adjacent to the base textile, and creating a relative movement between the base textile and the row of hot fluid streams.
- 16 16 ~~41~~. (Original) The method according to Claim ~~38~~⁹, further including the said disposing a finishing lubricant on the base textile prior to forming the flat and wrinkled regions.

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